DEPT: Government Affairs

UNIT NO. 1020

FUND: General - 0001

## **Budget Summary**

Category	2013 Budget	2013 Actual	2014 Budget	2015 Budget	2015/2014 Variance	
	Expenditures					
Personnel Costs	\$0	\$0	\$322,767	\$275,288	(\$47,479)	
Operation Costs	\$0	\$0	\$55,000	\$115,000	\$60,000	
Debt & Depreciation	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Capital Outlay	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Interdept. Charges	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$23,413	\$23,413	
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$0	\$377,767	\$413,701	\$35,934	
Legacy Healthcare-Pension	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$28,013	\$28,013	
Revenues						
Direct Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Intergov Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Indirect Revenue	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Total Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Tax Levy	\$0	\$0	\$377,767	\$413,701	\$35,934	
Personnel						
Full-Time Pos. (FTE)		0	3	2	-1	
Seas/Hourly/Pool Pos.		0	0	0	0	
Overtime \$		\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	

**Department Mission:** In accordance with State Statute 59.53 (24), as created by 2013 Wisconsin Act 14, the mission of the Office of Government Affairs is to represent the interests of Milwaukee County before Local, State, and Federal governments. The Office will also build productive relationships with other governmental units, non-profit agencies, and the private sector in order to identify areas where services can be shared, consolidated, or otherwise cooperatively enhanced in order to improve service and reduce costs to taxpayers.

**Department Description:** The Office includes two full-time positions who work to fulfill its mission of representing the county's interests and building partnerships across governmental jurisdictions.

## **GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS (1020) BUDGET**

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**Strategic Program Area 1: Government Affairs** 

Service Provision: Discretionary

Strategic Outcome: High Quality, Responsive Services

What We Do: Activity					
Item	2013 Actual	2014 Budget	2015 Budget		
Activity Data is not yet Tracked for this Program Area					

How We Do It: Program Budget Summary						
Category	2013 Budget	2013 Actual	2014 Budget	2015 Budget	2015/2014 Var	
Expenditures	\$0	\$0	\$377,767	\$413,701	\$35,934	
Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	
Tax Levy	\$0	\$0	\$377,767	\$413,701	\$35,934	
FTE Positions		0	3	2	-1	

How Well We Do It: Performance Measures						
Performance Measure	2013 Budget	2013 Actual	2014 Budget	2015 Budget		
Performance Measures have not yet been created for this Program Area						

## Strategic Implementation:

Funding is provided for two full-time positions to represent the County's interests before other units and levels of government through lobbying efforts. Operating costs increase by \$70,000 mainly based on a year of experience in operating this office plus additional funding due to the anticipated higher workload related to the State of Wisconsin's 2015-2017 Biennial budget. Funding is included for the County's annual membership dues in Sister Cities and NACo. In addition, an appropriation of \$20,000 is provided for membership dues for the Center for International Health. In the past, the County provided in-kind office space, telephone and internet connection in Building C on the County Grounds. The Center will be moving into non-County space in 2015.